

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 1, please delete "Cross Reference to Related Applications" and replace with the following:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is related to U.S. Serial No. 60/391,528, filed June 25, 2002, entitled "A Moisture-Proof Resealable, non-Cylindrical Container for Consumer Packages"; is also related to U.S. Serial No. 09/876,381, filed June 1, 2001, now U.S. Patent No. 6,705,463, issued March 4, 2004, entitled "Flip Top golf Ball Container Assembly Provided with Moisture Barrier Properties" and is also related to U.S. Serial No. 09/386,702, filed August 31, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,769,558, issued August 3, 2004, entitled "A Leak-Proof Container and Cap Assembly.—

Page 1, line 17, "Background of the Invention", replace "Co-pending U.S. application no. 09/386,702, filed August 31, 1999" with -- "Co-pending U.S. application no. 09/386,702, filed August 31, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,769,558, issued August 3, 2004 --.

Please delete the following paragraph at page 5, lines 4-10, this is a duplicative paragraph.

The specification was objected to under 37 CFR 1.71 as failing to adequately teach how to make and/or use the invention. The Examiner states that the application "fails to sufficiently describe the skirt comprising at least four portions, a first portion... as recited in claim 1." The specification has been amended to include the description of the four portions, which were shown in Fig. 7 as originally filed. Replacement pages are enclosed herewith. Fig. 7B is also submitted for the Examiner's consideration and approval. Fig. 7B distinctly shows the four portions of the inner wall of the skirt.

The Examiner has also objected to the Abstract. Please delete the current Abstract and replace with the following: